

Certification Workgroup



**STATE BOARD FOR THE CERTIFICATION OF
RESIDENTIAL CHILD CARE PROGRAM
PROFESSIONALS**

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Discussion Items



- Overview and Goals of Certification
- Process Certification Committee
- Preliminary Recommendations to the State Board
- Next Steps

Overview and Goals of Certification



Established by the State Board in December 2010 and tasked to review certification requirements for RCCPAs.

Goals of Certification include:

- (1) Certification provides recognizable professional status. It clearly denotes the skills of an individual, and it is a commonly understood measure of knowledge and achievement.
- (2) Certification means that an individual has demonstrated their ability to meet a minimum uniform standard.
- (3) Certification assures that individuals have an appropriate background and core competencies necessary to effectively care and supervise vulnerable children.
- (4) Certification affords a means for recognizable proficiency to licensing and accrediting agencies, funding sources, and the industry.

Preliminary Recommendations to State Board



Next Steps



The Committee will complete the RCYCP Training Program Framework

The Committee will present its recommendations to the State Board

The State Board will review the recommendations

Approved recommendations will be presented to the GOC for discussion for the Summer Work Group